

Caloric sweeteners: Per capita availability adjusted for loss /1

Year	Primary weight <sup>2</sup>	Retail weight <sup>2</sup>	Consumer weight	Total loss, all levels	Per capita availability adjusted for loss			Calories available daily <sup>3</sup>	Teaspoons available daily <sup>4</sup>
	Lbs/year	Lbs/year	Lbs/year	Percent	Lbs/year	Oz/day	G/day	Number	Teaspoons
1970	119.1	119.1	106.0	41.0	70.2	3.1	87.3	332.5	20.8
1971	120.2	120.2	107.0	41.1	70.8	3.1	88.0	335.3	21.0
1972	121.5	121.5	108.2	41.1	71.6	3.1	89.0	339.2	21.2
1973	122.0	122.0	108.5	41.1	71.9	3.2	89.3	340.3	21.3
1974	117.9	117.9	105.0	41.1	69.5	3.0	86.3	328.8	20.6
1975	113.8	113.8	101.3	41.1	67.1	2.9	83.4	317.7	19.9
1976	119.9	119.9	106.7	41.1	70.7	3.1	87.8	334.5	20.9
1977	122.8	122.8	109.3	41.1	72.3	3.2	89.9	342.5	21.4
1978	121.3	121.3	108.0	41.1	71.5	3.1	88.9	338.5	21.2
1979	122.6	122.6	109.1	41.1	72.2	3.2	89.8	342.0	21.4
1980	120.2	120.2	107.0	41.1	70.8	3.1	88.0	335.4	21.0
1981	119.8	119.8	106.6	41.1	70.6	3.1	87.7	334.1	20.9
1982	117.7	117.7	104.8	41.1	69.4	3.0	86.2	328.4	20.5
1983	119.3	119.3	106.2	41.1	70.3	3.1	87.4	332.8	20.8
1984	121.8	121.8	108.4	41.1	71.8	3.1	89.2	339.7	21.2
1985	126.2	126.2	112.3	41.1	74.3	3.3	92.4	351.9	22.0
1986	124.3	124.3	110.6	41.1	73.3	3.2	91.0	346.8	21.7
1987	128.9	128.9	114.7	41.1	75.9	3.3	94.3	359.4	22.5
1988	130.2	130.2	115.9	41.1	76.7	3.4	95.3	363.2	22.7
1989	128.5	128.5	114.4	41.1	75.7	3.3	94.1	358.3	22.4
1990	132.5	132.5	117.9	41.1	78.0	3.4	96.9	369.3	23.1
1991	132.9	132.9	118.3	41.1	78.3	3.4	97.3	370.6	23.2
1992	136.1	136.1	121.1	41.1	80.2	3.5	99.6	379.6	23.7
1993	139.2	139.2	123.9	41.1	82.0	3.6	101.9	388.2	24.3
1994	141.6	141.6	126.0	41.1	83.4	3.7	103.6	394.9	24.7
1995	144.1	144.1	128.3	41.1	84.9	3.7	105.5	401.9	25.1
1996	144.3	144.3	128.4	41.1	85.0	3.7	105.6	402.4	25.2
1997	147.7	147.7	131.5	41.1	87.0	3.8	108.1	411.8	25.7
1998	149.0	149.0	132.6	41.1	87.7	3.8	109.0	415.4	26.0
1999	151.3	151.3	134.6	41.1	89.1	3.9	110.7	421.8	26.4
2000	148.9	148.9	132.5	41.1	87.7	3.8	109.0	415.2	26.0
2001	147.1	147.1	130.9	41.1	86.6	3.8	107.7	410.2	25.6
2002	146.2	146.2	130.1	41.1	86.1	3.8	107.0	407.8	25.5
2003	141.4	141.4	125.9	41.1	83.3	3.7	103.5	394.4	24.7
2004	141.6	141.6	126.0	41.1	83.4	3.7	103.7	394.9	24.7
2005	142.1	142.1	126.5	41.1	83.7	3.7	104.0	396.3	24.8
2006	138.8	138.8	123.5	41.1	81.8	3.6	101.6	387.2	24.2
2007	135.3	135.3	120.4	41.1	79.7	3.5	99.1	377.4	23.6
2008	135.6	135.6	120.7	41.1	79.9	3.5	99.3	378.2	23.6
2009	130.5	130.5	116.1	41.1	76.9	3.4	95.5	363.9	22.7
2010	131.6	131.6	117.2	41.1	77.6	3.4	96.4	367.2	23.0

Note: Loss estimates at the consumer level have been updated. See <http://www.ers.usda.gov/Publications/TB1927/>. 1/ This table uses aggregate food availability data, adjusts for losses, and converts the remaining supply into daily calories and teaspoons. 2/ The basic availability estimate is made at a primary distribution level, which is dictated for each commodity by the structure of the marketing system and data availability. Dry weight. 3/ Number of daily teaspoons multiplied by calories per teaspoon. 4/ Grams per day divided by grams per teaspoon.

Source: USDA/Economic Research Service. Data last updated Feb. 1, 2012. Note: Loss factors presented here are first estimates and are intended to serve as a starting point for additional research and discussion. We welcome suggestions to expand on and improve our loss estimates.  
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